
MAINTAINING YOUR SPIRITUAL WALK

Luke 11:24-26



CONFESSOR OR QUESTIONER

Questioner

- Someone who frequently questions or doubts the Word of God. They may seek understanding or clarification but tend to challenge or scrutinize the teachings, sometimes leading to uncertainty or skepticism. They are often in a state of inquiry, asking questions to deepen their knowledge but may not yet have fully accepted or affirmed the truths.
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Confessor

- Someone who openly proclaims, affirms, and stands firmly on the Word of God. They declare their faith and are committed to sharing and defending the truth of God's Word. Think of them as a person who confidently confesses their beliefs and upholds the teachings of Scripture. They may not have all the answers but trust none the less.

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You're not using your own thoughts; you're using His thoughts. "Let the mind that was in Christ be in you." See? Think His way of thinking; say what He says. "Confession" means "to say the same thing." Say... Confess is to confess the same thing, say the same thing. Then don't confess your own mental conception. Be borned again and confess His Word, confess what He said. That's confession. Say, "By His stripes, I was healed." By His stripes, I have a right--by His wounds, right now, I have a right for salvation. I have a right for the Holy Spirit. He promised it to me. Said, 'It's in you and your children, and them that is far off, and as many as the Lord our God shall call.'"

62-0319 THE.END.TIME.SIGN.SEED Jesus said when He was here, "If you have faith like a mustard seed, would say to this mountain..." Why did He refer to mustard seed? Mustard seed won't hybridize. It's genuine mustard seed. It will not take breeding with nothing. And He said, otherwise, "If you have that much faith, God's Word, that won't hybridize to unbelief, or question it... Oh, I feel religious. That you won't question it... No matter what circumstances, and anything else, you don't question God's Word; you believe It. You're supposed to believe It. If Eve would've only believed it, she would've received... and she'd have brought forth children right. But before her husband got to her, he found her already defiled, like Jehovah did, and like Jesus had. There was a defilement in the womb of her thinking. She had accepted a seed of unbelief against God's Word, because it produced something to her more brighter, and she wanted more knowledge.

1. Put on the Whole Armor of God

Ephesians 6:10-18

10] Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might.

11] Put on the whole armor of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.

12] For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.

13] Wherefore take unto you the whole armor of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.

14] Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness;

15] And your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace;

16] Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked.

17] And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God:

18] Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints;

GUARD THOSE THOUGHTS WITH THE HELMET OF SALVATION

Philippians 4:8 KJVS

[8] Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things.

FULL ON RESIST

- **James 4:7**

Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.

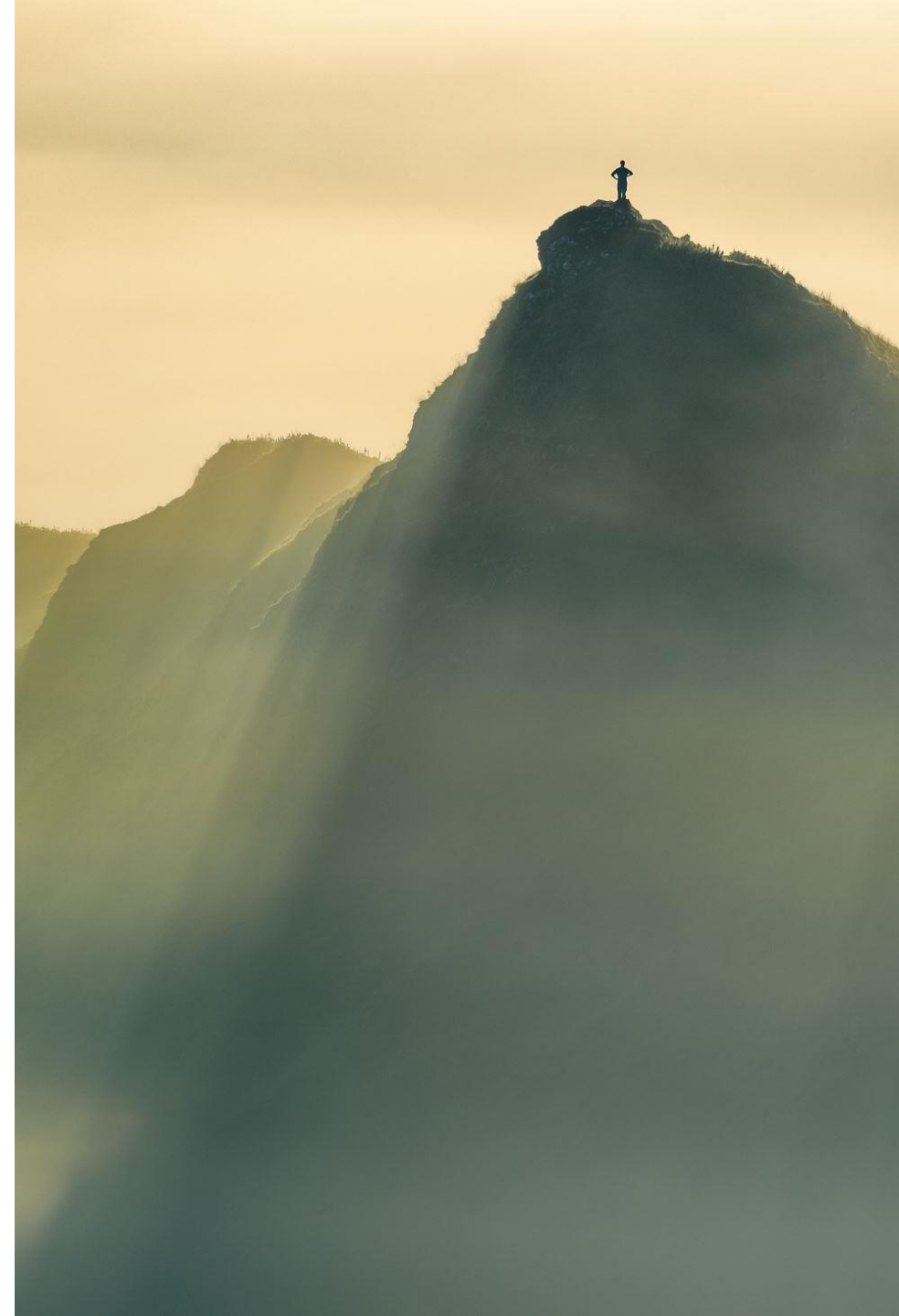
- **1 Peter 5:9**

Whom resist stedfast in the faith, knowing that the same afflictions are accomplished in your brethren that are in the world.

2. POSITIVE CONFESSION

Mark 11:23 KJVS

[23] For verily I say unto you, That whosoever shall say unto this mountain, Be thou removed, and be thou cast into the sea; and shall not doubt in his heart but shall believe that those things which he saith shall come to pass; he shall have whatsoever he saith.



Negative confessions characterize demonic influence. Positive confession is faith expressed. Confess what God's Word says. Any other confession will open the door for the enemy.”

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E-18 Now, it's a strange thing that this is so much thought of people; they say, "Well, I'm weak; my faith is not very much; I'm not a very good Christian." That's just what the devil wants you to say. You're just talking his language right then. See? You mustn't never say that. Don't never let your testimony be negative; let it be positive all the time. "I am saved. I have God in my heart. I believe Him with all my heart." Do you believe in Divine healing? "With all of my heart. "Let your testimony always and your thoughts, everything... Never permit a negative thought to come in your mind if you can help it. When it starts that, don't entertain it. Well, you say, "I can't help the thoughts from coming." Well, that'll be like the farmer that said he couldn't stop the birds from flying over his place, but he could sure stop them from roosting." So that's a good thing. You, see? You can't help the thoughts when they come, but don't--don't--don't entertain them; just pass it on. "No, sir. Jesus Christ is my Savior; all things are mine by God. And I'm going to keep them. I'm going to testify of them."

And God can only bless you as you confess that He has done it for you. See, He's the High Priest of our confession. Is that right? Hebrews 3. He said that He's the High Priest of our confession. He can only do for us as we accept it, and believe it, and confess it.

3. STAY IN THE WORD

2 Timothy 2:15 KJVS

[15] Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.

The Word Gives us Direction

Psalm 119:105 KJVS

[105] Thy word is a lamp
unto my feet, and a light
unto my path.

The Word Helps us Grow

1 Peter 2:2 KJVS

[2] As newborn babes, desire
the sincere milk of the word,
that ye may grow thereby:

4. CRUCIFIXION OF THE FLESH

Luke 9:23 KJVS

[23] And he said to them all, If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow me.

Galatians 5:24 KJVS

[24] And they that are Christ's have crucified the flesh with the affections and lusts.

5. DEVELOP A LIFE OF PRAISE AND PRAYER

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 KJVS

- 16] Rejoice evermore.
 - 17] Pray without ceasing.
 - 18] In everything give thanks: for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you.
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6. DEVELOP A LIFE OF FELLOWSHIP AND SPIRITUAL MINISTRY.

- [Act 2:42](#) And they continued stedfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers.
- [Heb 10:24](#) And let us consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works:
- [Heb 10:25](#) Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some *is*; but exhorting *one another*: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching.

Gal 5:13 For, brethren, ye have been called unto liberty; only *use* not liberty for an occasion to the flesh, but by love serve one another.

Love Driven Service

1Pe 4:10 As every man hath received the gift, *even so* minister the same one to another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God.

Using The Spiritual Gifts for Others

7. BE TOTALLY COMMITTED TO CHRIST

- [Rev 3:15](#) I know thy works, that thou art neither cold nor hot: I would thou wert cold or hot.
- [Rev 3:16](#) So then because thou art lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will spue thee out of my mouth.

“Determine that every thought, word and action will reflect the very nature of Christ. Abide in Christ that the fruit of the Spirit might come forth in abundance. Demon spirits are enemies of the fruit of the Spirit. Faith and trust in God is the greatest weapon against the devil’s lies.”

65-0425 GOD'S.PROVIDED.PLACE.OF.WORSHIP

Now notice, when this great moving power of God comes into a son of God, it quickens him, the Spirit of Life enters into him. Then what does it do? It seats them in Heavenly places, right now. Not they "will be." We are now. Now we've already resurrected, the dynamics and the mechanics is gone to work, quickened us, and we're quickened up into the Presence of God, where His Spirit is. And now we are seated together in Heavenly places, in Christ Jesus; in Christ Jesus, sitting in there, that great seat that's already fired up, been raised from the dead. We're a part of it. If you're a part of the Bride, you are, because the Bride is part of the Groom, you know. So we find out that it's the same thing, and She'll do just exactly what's predicted for Her to do in this day. She won't be a Laodicea, not by no means a lukewarm. But She'll be on fire for God, She'll be moving on in the Spirit of God.
